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Need of More Flax-Seed Stressed

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The war in the Pacific has curtailed the supply of vegetable oils. Canada uses about 450,000,000 lbs. of fats and oils (excluding butter) annually. Of this amount about 270,000,000 is composed of vegetable oils. These are used as follows: 130,000,000 lbs. (excluding butter and lard) for edible purposes, 110,000,000 for soap and glycerine, the glycerine is needed in the explosives industry; 30,000,000 lbs. for paint and varnish, which is needed for painting of tanks, guns, ships, etc.

Normally Canada imports about 200,000,000 lbs. to 250,000,000 lbs. of these oils. The import supply is now greatly curtailed, so Canada must produce more.

There are only about four crops that can be grown for oil production in Canada; safflower, sunflower, soybeans and flaxseed. Flax is the only one that can be increased appreciably this year. The government has guaranteed a price of $2.25 per bushel basis No. 1 C.W. Fort William. This is two-and-a-half times the price of wheat. If calculated on the price at the farm delivery point, it is about three times the price of wheat. It will therefore be a profitable crop to grow.

To supply the needs of ourselves and our allies it will require about three times 1941 production. It is profitable, and at the same time our patriotic duty to produce flax. The National Barley and Linseed Flax Committee believe that for every acre seeded last year, three should be sown this year.

For information in regard to seed, seed treatment, and cultural practices, see your agricultural representative, or elevator operator.

News of Our Boys

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Capt. Dr. Greenberg, stationed at Grande Prairie, spent Sunday at home.

Charlie Milne left for Ontario last Sunday evening.

Eldon Herbert was home on leave this week.

Albert Glasgow and Harold Gulbraa went to another air station last week-end for further training.

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IRMA Y.P.U. REPORT

The last meeting of the Irma Y.P.U. was held on March 26 and was under the leadership of Marion Longmire, convener of the Missions group.

During the devotional part of the meeting the scripture was given by Vera Simmermon. This was followed by a prayer given by Jean Craig. Marion Longmire then gave a very interesting topic entitled "Mission at home." The singing of a hymn closed this part of the meeting.

After a short business meeting the following program was presented: reading, Irene Burr; vocal duet, Vera Simmermon and Deloraine Stockton; reading, Henry Kastor; dialogue, "The Painted Chair," Hilda Klassen, Jim Craig, Jack Stead and Mina Hill.

The young people then went to the basement where games were played and a delicious lunch was served. The meeting closed with "God Save the King."

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Sauces should not be added to boiled onions, cabbage or celery until time to serve.

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A good way to keep silver bright is to keep it in a drawer lined with dark outing flannel.

CARD PARTY AND DANCE REPORTED ENJOYABLE

By all reports the card party and dance sponsored by the Ladies Orange Lodge was a real success. Around 18 tables of cards started off the evening which ended in some three hours of dancing. The prizes went to Mrs. Bert Long and Mrs. Berreth, ladies first and second, while Mrs. Allen got the ladies low score. The two high scores for men were Mr. Hanson, first, and Mr. Halvorsen, second. Mr. T. Sanders had the low marks.

Lunch was served after the cards and then the artists who so willingly donated the music started things going.

The ladies would like to take this opportunity to thank all who helped in any way. To the musicians, to those who assisted at lunch, to the ones who loaned tables and all who helped to round out a very successful venture.

BIGGER CHEQUES FOR PENSIONERS

Alberta old age pensioners and blind pensioners will receive the extra $5 special allowance passed at the recent session of the legislature in their April cheques, A. Blackie, superintendent of the provincial old age pensions branch, announced Tuesday. Mr. Blackie said pensioners would receive the additional amount about the end of April or first of May, as the cheques are mailed about two days before the end of the month.

Approximately 10,887 old age pensioners and 213 blind pensioners will receive the extra $5, which boosts their monthly pensions to $25. Old age pensioners must be 70 years or over to be eligible for the pension; pensions are paid to blind persons at the age of 40 years or over.

The cost of the pensions increase is $600,000 a year.

SMALL ATTENTIONS MAKE RUBBER LAST LONGER

Rubber is going to be increasingly hard to get in any form. Rubber articles in the home should be given the greatest care to make them last longer. Remember in storing that rubber rots quicker in hot, damp places than in cool, dry places.

Dust talcum or cornstarch in the creases or folds of rubber or rubberized articles for protection against cracking.

Stuff paper in rubber boots and overshoes when putting them away.

To make rubber gloves wear longer, don't wear them to polish brassfare or copper kitchen utensils, or when cleaning pans with a ball of steel or brass thread. These metals are enemies of rubber.

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Wooden spoons are desirable for candy making because they do not become uncomfortably hot to handle.

Church News

UNITED CHURCH
Easter Sunday, April 5
Irma—Sunday school 11 a.m.
Public worship 7:30 p.m.
A hearty invitation to all.

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ST. MARY'S ANGLICAN
Easter Sunday, April 5
Afternoon service, 2:30 p.m.
Easter Comunion service
Sunday April 12, 9 a.m.

SHARON LUTHERAN CHURCH
Easter services 8:00 p.m.

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Jarrow-Kinsella United Church
Kinsella:
Good Friday—Service 7:30 p.m.
Sunday, April 5—11 a.m.
Evening service, 7:30
Jarrow:
Sunday, April 5—12:30 noon.

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Crop Production Programme for the PRAIRIE PROVINCES, 1942

Canada's War Requirements Call for:

A production of wheat limited to what can be sold in the domestic and export markets during the crop year 1942-43.

An unlimited production of coarse grains for live stock feeding to produce . . . the Animal Products and Fats needed in the Domestic Market. . . . the Bacon, Dairy Products and Eggs wanted by Britain.

A greatly increased production of Flaxseed to meet Vegetable Oil Needs of Canada and the United States in view of War Developments.

Grain Marketing Policy

WHEAT—Deliveries to remain limited: Price to be increased.

Authorized deliveries: 280 million bu. from Western Canada as compared with 230 million bu. authorized from all Canada last year. This 280 million bu. is believed all that can be marketed in the 1942-43 crop year; and the expected carryover of 400 million bu. at July 31, 1942, will constitute an adequate war reserve. Individual deliveries will again be determined on a quota basis.

Price: The initial price for deliveries in 1942-43 under authorized quotas will be 90 cents per bu., basis No. 1 Northern in store Fort William/Port Arthur or Vancouver. This 20 cents price increase plus higher authorized deliveries considerably enhances the wheat outlook for 1942-43 as compared with that of 1941-42. (Note: higher delivery price of wheat not to affect the price of bread in Canada.)

COARSE GRAINS—Unlimited Production.

Acreage Bonuses: See adjoining column.

Price Floors: To safeguard the position of farmers who increase their production of barley and oats;

a. A **minimum** price is established for **barley** at 60 cents basis No. 2 C.W. 6-Row in store Fort William/Port Arthur.

b. A **minimum** price is established for **oats** at 45 cents basis No. 2 C.W. in store Fort William/Port Arthur.

In connection with barley and oat prices, the Canadian Wheat Board is empowered to carry out the policy.

FLAXSEED—Unlimited Production.

Price: A **fixed price** is established for **flaxseed** at $2.25 basis No. 1 C.W. in store Fort William/Port Arthur. Canadian Wheat Board empowered to purchase and handle all flaxseed delivered by producers in Canada during the crop year 1942-43.

Wheat-Acreage Reduction Policy

LIMITED WHEAT ACREAGE

Since but 280 million bu. wheat can be delivered in the 1942-43 crop year, regardless of how good the crop may be, only about 20 or 21 million acres should be sown to wheat in 1942 or about what was sown in 1941.

PAYMENTS FOR ACREAGE DIVERSION

It is contemplated that $2 per acre will be paid on land **taken out of wheat** and either **summerfallowed** or seeded to **barley, oats, flax, rye, peas, corn, clover, grasses, or millet.** These payments are designed to assist farmers who cooperate in the wheat-acreage reduction programme and to encourage the production of coarse grains and other live stock feeds.

The above payments are to be based on the number of acres by which the farmer reduces his wheat acreage in 1942 as compared with the basic acreage in 1940. To obtain the payments the farmer must sow to coarse grains or grasses, or must summerfallow, areas in excess of the basic 1940 acreages sown to these crops or left in summerfallow.

The crop production programme in western Canada is intended to provide maximum quantities of agricultural products most vital to war needs and at the same time ensure a balance in production plans that will permit successful farm practice in the Prairie Provinces.

P.F.A.A. AMENDMENT

It is proposed to amend the Prairie Farm Assistance Act by removing the price restriction of eighty cents per bushel in the determination of an emergency year under the Act.

War Requirements Call for More Hogs, More Milk, More Beef, More Wool, More Eggs, More Fats and Oils in 1942

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National Auxiliary Services

The government has found it necessary to decide upon a change of policy in the matter of financing the requirements of such national auxiliary services organizations as the Canadian Legion, the Knights of Columbus, The Salvation Army, the Y.M.C.A., the Y.W.C.A. and The Navy League of Canada. Up to the present these national auxiliary services organizations, with the exception of The Navy League of Canada, have obtained the funds necessary for them to carry on their auxiliary services, of a recreational and off-duty nature, to the members of the armed forces of Canada at home and abroad through national appeals for funds to the public of Canada. Prior to 1941 these organizations carried on separate public appeals, but in March, 1941, they united in a joint public appeal. Their objective was set at $5,500,000, but this objective was exceeded and approximately $7,000,000 was received from the Canadian public. These funds were held by the Canadian War Services Fund Incorporated and released from time to time to the organizations as required.

It had been agreed that The Navy League of Canada should join with the other national auxiliary services organizations in a joint public appeal for funds to be made in the spring of this year, at a date to be announced. It had also been planned that the Canadian Red Cross Society should join in this united public appeal with the above-mentioned national auxiliary services organizations. Consideration was also being given to the claims of other organizations for leave to join in this appeal.

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A Heavy Budget

The total budgets of all these organizations were estimated at from seventeen to twenty million dollars. In order to permit such a public appeal the government would have had to stand aside for a considerable period of time and leave the field clear for the national public appeal of these organizations. This would have involved, among other considerations, the interruption of the government's appeal, for funds through the sale of war savings certificates.

The heavy financial demands upon the government for the efficient prosecution of the war and the additional amount required during the coming fiscal year for war purposes made it necessary for the government to give careful reconsideration to the plans for the joint public appeal for funds which had been proposed. The government has now decided to finance from the public Treasury the requirements of the Canadian Legion, the Knights of Columbus, The Salvation Army, the Y.M.C.A. and the Y.W.C.A. for the rendering of their auxiliary services to the members of the armed forces of Canada, at home and abroad in military establishments in camp or barrack areas in Canada, special defence areas as designated by the Director of Auxiliary Services and the National War Charities Funds Advisory Board, Newfoundland and Overseas. The hostel operations of The Navy League of Canada for the men of the Navy and the Mercantile Marine will also be included. There will therefore be no public appeal for funds this year by the above mentioned six organizations.

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Only One Appeal

Similar action is, however, not possible in respect of the activities of the Canadian Red Cross Society. This organization must continue to be of a voluntary nature in order to maintain its international character and its convention obligations. It is different in its nature from the national auxiliary services organizations above referred to and its requirements cannot be met in the same way. There will therefore be a national drive for funds by the Canadian Red Cross Society during the late spring of this year at a date to be announced later. This public appeal for funds will be for the purpose of enabling the Canadian Red Cross Society to discharge its functions as an instrument of mercy in time of war.

It is estimated that the amount which the Canadian Red Cross Society will seek from the public in its next public appeal will be for more than $8,000,000. This appeal for funds will run concurrently with the government's programme of financial appeals. It is felt that it can do so without any great interference with such programme, in view of the fact that a much less amount will be sought from the public than if a joint public appeal, including the amounts required by the national auxiliary services organizations, were held.

Belgian Defiance

Anti-Nazi Signs Appear On The Streets Of Brussels

An Independent Belgian News Agency report that has come into the BBC shows that Belgian defiance of the Germans is no less stubborn in this war than in the last one.

Inhabitants of Brussels, it appears, recently awoke one morning, to find the roads in the main boulevards of the town bearing anti-Nazi slogans. White imprints proclaimed: "Down with Hitler. Long live England. Hurrah for the R.A.F. Long live de Gaulle."

These inscriptions had been made at night by a car equipped with cleverly cut-out tires covered in white paint.

At midday, before a group of gazing spectators, squads of street-sweepers were still trying with brushes and acids, to remove the lettering.—B.B.C. Bulletin.





Income Is Ample

Concealed Taxes On Wages Boost Hitler's Fabulous Wealth

The London Sunday Times said that German heavy industry provides Hitler with a private income of at least $12,000,000 annually, a portion of which is used "for secret payments he makes to those whose support can be bought."

The paper said that industry raised the fund—known as the Adolf Hitler Spende de Deutschen Wirtschaft—from concealed taxes on wages.

Deposited in a private banking account, it supplements Hitler's other income of between $21,000,000 and $40,000,000 annually from the Zentral Vertag, the biggest German publishing organization which controls two-thirds of the German newspapers, and much of the book publishing business, the paper said. It was charged earlier that Hitler had confiscated the publishing business largely from Jews.

What's In A Name

"What's your name?" the store manager asked the young applicant for a job.

"Ford," replied the lad.

"And your first name?"

"Henry."

"Henry Ford, eh?" remarked the manager with a smile. "That's a pretty well-known name."

The boy looked pleased. "Yes, sir," he replied proudly. "I've been delivering groceries around here for two years now."

Nine different cabinet posts have been held by Winston Churchill, more than ever held by any living Englishman.

Have No Illusions

Peoples Of Far East Know What Jap Domination Means

Japan may be able to find a few Quislings in the Philippines, Malaya and elsewhere in the Far East; but these Quislings will not be able to rally many natives to the support of Japan's so-called,co-prosperity sphere. The peoples of the Far East who have been subjected to British imperialism, Dutch imperialism, French imperialism or the American brand, as practiced in the Philippines, may not be enthusiastically pro-British, pro-French, pro-Dutch, or pro-American; but certainly they are not pro-Japanese. They have no illusions concerning the beneficence of Jap domination. They have seen Japanese imperialism at work in Korea and in Manchukuo; and they want no part of it.

They know that Jap dominance means complete degradation and virtual enslavement of the native population, as it has in Korea; that it means obliteration of all native culture, customs and language; that it means Japanese merchants take over all business; that all government jobs that can be filled by Japanese will be filled by Japanese; that where a native has a government job, his pay will be half that of a Jap doing the same work. The people of the Far East have seen the Jap machine at work in Korea; they know how the Jap police force operates in occupied lands; they know its story of torture, of floggings with bamboo canes, and of the indignities suffered by women and children. They know that in Seoul alone in March, 1919, more than 11,000 Koreans were flogged because of an anti-Jap demonstration.

The Asia-for-Asiatics movement has a tremendous following among the peoples of the Far East but not in the Jap version of it. They know that, insofar as Japan is concerned, Asia for the Asiatics means Asia for Japan.—Chicago Daily News.

Praise For Churchill

British Prime Minister Never Gives A Thought To Himself

The War Worker, organ of the Canadian Federation of Labor, says: Winston Churchill is bluebood. He's one of those lucky fellows—always has been—with enough cash to live on in enjoyment and enough brains to enjoy life. He needn't have done a tap.

Yet he's the world'st greatest war worker—and producer. Why?

Because he's got eye, mind, heart and soul fixed on one goal—victory. There's nothing he won't do, no sacrifice he won't make, to get there. Which means he's man enough to put country before self. He's proved that, many times.

Who wanted to quit as head of the Admiralty so that he could fight with a naval brigade in Belgium during the last year?

Who stepped down from the British Cabinet when his Prime Minister told him public opinion demanded it?

Who warned that Hitler was in earnest while Britain slept, and risked being boycotted for ever by the appeasers who were running the country?

Who reached over the heads of all the Tories to shake the hand of Ernest Bevin and give him a cabinet seat?

Who took upon himself, without consulting Parliament, to tell the world "Russia is our ally" a few hours after Hitler turned the blitz eastward?.

Who has turned out unpopular cabinet colleagues, shifted generals, kicked overboard deep-rooted Army and Navy tradition?

Churchill.

Look at his record. Never has he refused to fade out when his country's interest demanded it; and never has he tried to snatch a cabinet job when his personal interest might have cashed in. Churchill? Say, there's one individual who doesn't give a hoot for Churchill. That's the man himself.

Fibre Flax Growing

The world is said to have five million acres of land devoted to fibre flax growing. In the United States only about 5,000 acres are grown, mostly in the state of Oregon. Canada's acreage last year was around 40,000 acres, with a good part of it in Quebec.

Canadian factories produced more than 25,000,000 pairs of leather footwear during 1939.



The Individual Citizen's Army

A Weekly Column About This And That In The Canadian Army.

By Alan Maurice Irwin

All you old soldiers know what "pozzy" is but how many of you can tell us where the word came from? And don't ask me. All I know about it is that "pozzy" is jam in the Army. That is to say jam is "pozzy" in the Mess Room but when you come to another Army phrase—one of derision, applied to someone who seems to be asking quite a lot, it remains "jam." The phrase: "What do you want, jam on it?"

All this isn't so far beside the point as it may seem. By the time a man says, "shove the pozzy down here," he's a soldier.

Mind you he didn't get to be a soldier by learning Army slang but by the time he is a soldier he has learned many a new name for commonplace objects.

He doesn't know just when he becomes a soldier. I doubt if any of his officers could tell you either. But somewhere, suddenly or gradually the civilian in battledress changes into a soldier in uniform.

Of course he takes the first step in the direction of becoming a soldier when he enters the recruiting office and volunteers to serve his King and Country. From that point on the metamorphosis is a steady progression.

Enlisting is really quite a simple procedure. And this time it is even better handled than it was when I was a young soldier. Nowadays you can walk into a recruiting office, give particulars of yourself; get a medical examination including X-ray, that would cost you ten dollars in civilian life, and report right away to a District Depot where you are outfitted with uniform and equipment.

At the District Depot new recruits get their first introduction to Army life. They are taught how to wear their uniforms and equipment, how to conduct themselves in a soldierly manner in public, who to salute and when, and the rudiments of military training.

Their stay at the District Depot is made as short as possible—it is realized that a man who volunteers for service anywhere is anxious to get down to the business of learning to fight as soon as he can.

By the same token it is realized that when he gets to a Basic Training Centre the new recruit doesn't want to seem too awkward—hence the instruction in soldierly conduct and bearing and Canadian Army traditions.

At the Basic Training Centre training begins. Each day the new recruit learns something. It is no longer a dreary round of: squad drill without arms; saluting; the manual of arms; squad drill with arms; platoon drill; company drill—ad infinitum. There is drill, of course. There has to be if you are going to mold a group of men into a team. But drill is interspersed with instruction in the use of the rifle and bayonet, the light machine-gun, the two-inch mortar. There are lectures and entertainments. Competitions enliven Army life and put a zest into the work that must be done.

Good food—and lots of it—builds muscle in place of the fat worked off by good exercise—and lots of it—and by the time the recruit ends his basic training he has become a soldier.

There is still lots for him to learn—that comes when he goes on to an Advanced Training Centre but by the time he gets there he is a soldier. He looks forward to the new things to be learned with interest and enthusiasm—there are new tricks of the soldiering trade to be picked up. Civilian life is behind him. Ahead there is a duty to be fulfilled and far ahead of that again that strange existence a soldier finds hard to understand—civilian life.

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He said the program is being encouraged because normal sources of imported vegetables oils have been cut off by war in the Pacific.

To provide the total production sought, at least 2,000,000 acres should be sown to flax in 1942. The five-year average acreage in 1936-40 was 311,180 for the prairie provinces, the area of main production and where the bulk of the increased output of 1942 will be found.

Not Immune Here

We may feel that distance keeps us safe from enemy attack. That is what the people of Singapore, Batavia and dozens of other places bombed from the air also thought. Canadian cities, east and west, can also be bombed and an enemy who grows desperate will undoubtedly bomb them.

Britain's hairpin factories now make aero engine parts; beauty cream makers produce anti-gas ointment.

Seize German Goods

Goods Shipped From Switzerland Held At Bermuda

Goods actually made in Germany but shipped to Central and South America as of Swiss manufacture have been seized in Bermuda, it was disclosed in supreme court.

Sir Roger Hall, a prize court official, explained that the goods seized—464 musical instruments and 23 cases of clocks—had first been sent to the small Swiss town of Chiazza, near the Italian border and ultimately put on a ship which sailed from Lisbon, Portugal, and called at Hamilton, Bermuda.

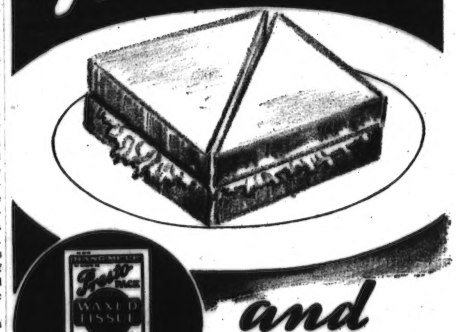
The British held Heligoland, the German fortress on the North sea, from 1814 to 1890, when it was exchanged for Zanzibar.

The 175-ton organ in Royal Albert hall, London, contains 10,491 pipes and is said to be the largest and finest pipe organ in the world.

English is the only language taught in the schools of Brazil, apart from Portuguese.

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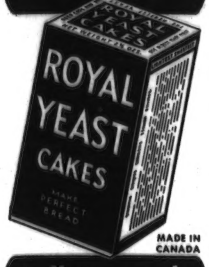
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CHAPTER XV.

Ransome wondered what the other guests would think if he did what his heart dictated. Now, he thought grimly glancing down the whiteness of the linen, the sparkling of the glass and silver—now would be a good time. Just in between the last course and the coffee.

If the stories he had heard of old Knox Randolph were true, then he had his example before him. His eyes studied the young man in the portrait before him. Strong, handsome features, arrogant and proud, blue eyes like Tam's, jutting black brows. Delicate embroidery of a flounce in the open waistcoat, and flowing tie at throat. Tight knee breeches and elegant boots.

Knox had pounded over the turf of the downs and won the derby and Tamar Ellery. The story went that he did not stop at the Judge's stand for his winnings, but swept up to the crowd of young men and women. Reaching out in his saddle, he had swooped up Tamar Ellery right out of the very arms of his rival.

And they had been married an hour later right here at Shadwell.

Ranny thought, if he had his horse, Tahlahneka II., here, it would be easy enough! "I'm sorry, what is it, Selby?" he was caught in the stream of conversation once more.

And thus the evening went. He must talk and he must listen whether he wanted to or not. And Christopher Sande could warm his traditionally cold Yankee heart by the light of Tom's eyes. It made a cold, hard, aching feeling in Ranny's chest.

He was glad when dinner was over, and the evening half through.

They returned to the living room, and went from there to the terrace, to sit on the shadowed lawn bathed in moonlight. Now and then a car passed on the highway, with its radio drifting back soft dance music. Ransome stirred restlessly. What a gorgeous night to waste on Christopher Sande and Selby.

The next day Tamar watched Sande leave to go back to his hotel in the little town of Tahlahneka. It left the other hours barren and empty.

The summer months were drifting by, she realized with a start one day. In the weeks since the dinner, she had seen Ransome Todd but a few times. And on those occasions they had been dancing at the Roistan. She and Christopher had gone two or three times each week to the night club.

Her days were filled with thoughts of the last date with him, and with anticipation of the next. Occasionally, she went on her mare, Madcap, to the mine because the sound of the dynamite blasts no longer frightened the animal.

Today Tamar paused by the meadow fence and waited for Madcap to gallop up to the bars. Aristotle stood by with the saddle ready to put on the pretty animal.

"Ridin' oveh to de Cricket Hill?" Aristotle asked, tightening the cinch.

Tamar drew on her green suede riding gloves. She stood straight and slender in her jodhpurs, white silk shirt open low at her throat, a boy's cap with long peak shading her eyes, and trying to confine her black curls. "Yes, Aristotle. Tell Phoebe please, to go ahead and have lunch. I may be late getting back. Tell her that I'm going to ride over to Selby's from the Cricket Hill.

As she walked Madcap down the lane Tamar wondered if he would remember to tell Phoebe. She felt just a trifle conscience-stricken to ride away from the house this morning, for she had thought there was an almost imperceptible change in her mother when she took the breakfast tray to her.

As she rode along on the shoulder of the highway, keeping Madcap off the hard paving, she worried about the expression she had caught on Dr. Forrester's face the last time she had talked with him concerning her mother's condition.

But in the past two weeks, Maris Randolph had even sat at the breakfast table with them a few times. Dr. Forrester had not mentioned the operation to her, and she finally asked him. Now, she realized, he had avoided a direct answer. Was her mother's strength too frail for her to undergo a major operation. Or did the doctor think it was unnecessary? Then a thought assailed her. Her hand leaped to her lips as though to keep the thought from speaking itself. Could it be too late?

As coldness crept over her, Tamar urged Madcap forward suddenly. She passed the turning off point from the highway to the mine at a swift gallop, and headed straight on into Tahlahneka. The town was deserted as usual at 10 o'clock in the morning. Only a straggling shopper or two, glancing indifferently at the windows.

Tamar tied Madcap to the ancient hitching post that stood near the new bank building. She flew up the wooden steps to the doctor's office. Miss Carey looked up in astonishment as Tamar burst in at the door.

"Your mother, Tamar? She isn't worse?" Miss Carey asked.

"I don't think so. Is the doctor in?"

Tamar heard the shuffling steps in the inner office and the kindly old doctor put his gray beard through the door. "Looking for me, Tam?" Come on in."

Her blue eyes bored into the doctor who had not only brought her into the world, but also had seen her through measles and mumps, whooping cough and malaria and knew her almost as well as her parents.

"Please tell me the truth, Uncle Doc," her voice demanded. "Why aren't you going to operate on mother?" A direct question that would accept no hedging this time.

"Now, see here, Tam——"

In that moment Tamar knew the truth. There was no need to perform an operation that would be of no benefit to her mother. It would only serve to lessen the number of her days. She spoke no word, and the doctor's voice had floundered into silence.

Tamar came out of the dim recesses of the hall into the glaring whiteness of the hot sun. She must not let her mother know that she had learned about this. Life at Shadwell must go on as usual.

Tamar wanted desperately to gallop back home to throw herself into her mother's arms, but that was denied her.

Instead, she turned Madcap into the side road leading up to the Cricket Hill. Before she reached the mine, however, she turned the mare once more; this time up an old wagon track which led to her favorite picnic site. The weeds had grown up on both sides of the roads, and stood, rank and dusty.

A hard aching lump was in her throat, and she needed to cry to dissolve the painfully numb feeling that held her. She tied Madcap to a small sapling and sat down on a fallen log. It was difficult to imagine life without her mother.

When the tears came they left Tamar a crumpled heap, washing out the tight feeling in her throat, and the pain in her heart. Her face was streaked and her eyes swollen.

After a while she walked slowly up the river bank to a clump of small persimmon trees, and taking off her clothes, dived off the steep bank into the river. The cool water laved her velvety skin, and she swam in graceful strokes down stream, drifting idly with the current.

After her swim she sat down on the log again and let the breeze dry her skin.

In a flash Tamar was off the log and running toward her clothes. Some one was coming along the old trail. She wondered who it could possibly be.

Tamar was still buttoning her shirt when she heard a man's voice: "Fetten says that no one ever comes here. It would be the perfect place, I think."

Major Towne's voice answered: "It's something we'll have to be sure of. We can't afford to take any chances."

Tamar gasped. Major Towne! Instantly she remembered her first impression of distrust for the man.

Tamar's heart beat quickly. In this impossible way she had stumbled onto something of great importance. If only Madcap wouldn't give her away now. She moved over to the tangle of small growth carefully crouching down out of sight.

The major was at the wheel of his big black car, and the man with him she had seen in the office at the Cricket Hill. He was one of their own workmen.

"The most important thing, of course, is to work everything out carefully, timing it to accurate precision, so there can be no slip-up. If we should fail this time, it would never do to try again."

The younger man laughed, and Tamar shuddered. There was something sinister in that laugh, cold and calculating. "There won't be a slip-up, Major, for I've decided not to use any of these Southern gentlemen. I've gone so far as to hire some really tough birds, you know the ones that pulled the last deal. They'll get here in a couple of weeks or so."

The Major looked about hastily. "Shut up, Nick! You don't know but what trees have ears."

"I never want to go through another job like that one. The cop—Hell! What's that?" He opened the car door.

"Nothing! Sit down, Nick. You make me nervous."

"Thought I heard something over there. Guess it's my imagination."

(To Be Continued)

Demand For Poultry

Has Been Notably Heavy In Canada Since War Started

Never before have the people of Canada shown such a taste for poultry meat as they have recently, the Agriculture Department stated recently. Reports to the Department from dealers in dressed poultry in all parts of Canada are to the effect that the war-time demand for poultry of all kinds, particularly chickens, has been notably heavy. Due to the substantial increase in the number of poultry on farms in the past year, as a result of the large orders for Canadian eggs placed by the British Ministry of Food, more birds have been marketed and now there are large stocks of high quality poultry on hand.

As an indication of the recent demand the Bureau of Statistics reports that the out-of-storage movement of dressed poultry in February of this year was 2.7 million pounds compared with 1.4 million pounds in the corresponding month of 1941.

Crop Rotation

A suitable rotation of crops is of major imoprtance in the control of weeds. Some crops check certain species of weeds while other crops are wholly ineffective. Wild oats, for example, are eradicated by two or three years in hay or pasture. A vigorous stand of alfalfa for two or three years eliminates Canada thistle and perennial sow thistle. Hoed crops, if perfectly worked are cleaning crops. Grain, on the other hand, encourages the growth of weeds.

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Processed Eggs

Canadian Shipments To Britain Will Be In Powder Form

Much of western Canada's huge egg production is being processed in carload lots for shipment to Great Britain in powder form. A drying plant is being operated at Winnipeg and has already processed a considerable volume of eggs from the three prairies provinces.

Five such drying plants are now in operation in Canada and the first shipment of egg powder has been made to the United Kingdom.

According to western officials of the poultry industry, practically all future shipments of eggs from Canada to the Motherland will be in the nature of powder.

Principal object of processing eggs for overseas is to conserve ocean shipping space. A case of eggs weighs about 60 pounds, officials state, while the same eggs in powder form and packed in a tin weigh only about 12 pounds.

As egg production is now double that of a year ago, officials feel confident that a steady flow of egg powder will be maintained to Britain from western provinces.

Gardening

Layouts

For flowers, lawns and shrubs about the average house, landscape gardeners strictly advise informal planting. This is especially desirable where space is limited as it tends to soften the narrow, rigid fence lines and to add an air of spaciousness even to a 20-foot lot. In an informal garden, the central portion of the ground is entirely in grass. Around the edges of this will be grouped beds of perennial and annual flowers, leading up to shrubs and vines along the walls or fence boundaries.

Where the garden is larger, experts advocate screening off a portion by bringing forward the surrounding shrubbery at one point, or using a hedge, wall or trees so that the whole garden will not be entirely visible from any one point of observation. This will add further to that air of spaciousness and also provide a secluded corner or two for a child's swing or sandbox or, possibly, a seat or trellis-covered table.

Vegetable Groups

Vegetables are roughly divided into three planting groups—hardy, semi-hardy and tender. Among the first are spinach, all sorts of lettuce, radish and garden peas. A little frost will not hurt these.

Second planted vegetables will be carrots, beans, cabbage, potatoes and similar things. These will resist a fair amount of cold. Tender vegetables include corn, melons, cucumbers and tomatoes. Nothing is to be gained by planting these before danger of frost is over.

With most vegetables it is advisable to make at least three sowings a week or two apart in order to spread the harvest that much longer over the season. Further spreading of the season is secured by sowing three kinds of each vegetable—an early, a medium and a late variety which will result in a continuous supply of really fresh vegetables for weeks longer than usual.

Nursery Stock

Nursery stock (shrubbery, fruit trees, vines, etc.) should be planted as soon as the soil is fit to work, and if purchased before this time, or if inconvenient to plant, roots should be temporarily covered with moist earth, or plants should be stored in a cool, dark cellar and roots kept moist.

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New War Material

Boards Made Of Glass Fibres Are Substitute For Cork

A new car material, glass boards, made of glass fibres finer than any human hair, has been announced by the Owens-Corning Fibreglass Corporation, New York.

These glass boards are intended as substitutes for cork, which comes from Spain and Portugal and is getting short. The new glass may not make good bottle corks, but it will replace cork for cold refrigerator insulation and for roof insulation.

The glass fibres are pressed by machinery into the shape of boards one to two inches thick, a foot wide and three feet long. The glass is finally coated with asphalt, to make it impervious to water.

Advantages claimed for glass boards: rats and mice can't gnaw them, bugs won't crawl in because they dont' like glass, they won't rot or decay in any way because fungi can't live on glass.

Now In Service

Rooms in Buckingham Palace where the King used to have his study and audience room have been closed because the household staff has been reduced to a minimum, freeing men and women for the services.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

FAITH

Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.—Hebrews 11:1.

Through love, through hope, and faith's transcendent dower,
We feel that we are greater than we know.—Wordsworth.

All I have seen teaches me to trust the Creator for all I have not seen.—Emerson.

Trust in Him whose love enfolds thee.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Nothing in life is more wonderful than faith—the one great moving force which we can neither weigh in the balance nor test in the crucible.—Harvey Cushing.

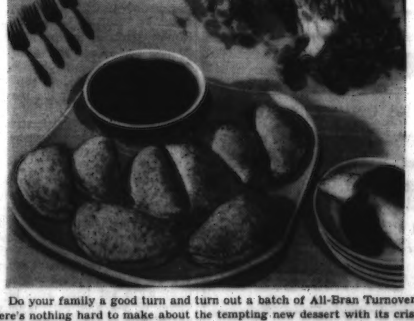
Faith and works are like the light and heat of a candle; they cannot be separated.—Beaumont.

British Columbia is first among Canadian provinces in order of marketed value of fishery products.

Florida's Gulf coastline is 674 miles long, compared to its Atlantic coastline of 472 miles.

A "sugar bush" is a maple grove or orchard, where the trees are tapped and syrup and refined sugar made. 2457

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All-Bran Turnovers

1¼ cup All-Bran
1½ cups flour
½ teaspoon salt
½ cup shortening
5 tablespoons cold water (more or less)
1½ cups sweetened, chopped, cooked prunes

Roll All-Bran until fine and combine with flour and salt. Cut in shortening. Add water, a little at a time, until dough is moist enough to hold together. Roll out on lightly floured board to about one-eighth inch in thickness. Cut into rounds (5 inches in diameter) with cutter. On half of round place a spoonful of chopped prunes which have been only partially drained. Put a dot of butter on top. Moisten edge of dough. Fold other half over to cover prunes and crimp down edges, using a fork or pastry crimper. Brush with milk and place on a greased baking sheet. Bake in hot oven (425 degees F.) for 12 to 15 minutes. Serve hot with prune sauce.

Prune Sauce

1 cup sweetened juice from prunes
1 tablespoon corn starch
½ teaspoon salt
3 tablespoons lemon juice
½ teaspoon grated lemon rind

Add juice gradually to corn starch, stirring until smooth. Add salt and cook until thick and clear. Stir in lemon juice and rind and serve hot on turnovers.

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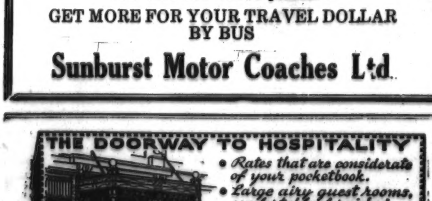
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LOCALS

The Glenholm Social Credit study group will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Reitan Friday evening, April 10th, at 8o'clock. Friends and neighbors always welcome.

Sharon Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. H. Knudson and Mrs. Reitan on Thursday, April 9. Everyone cordially invited.

Mrs. Herbert and Mrs. Carter have returned from the L.O.B.A. grand lodge and report a very fine meeting. Edmonton has been selected as the next place of meeting.

Mrs. Longmire has been confined to her home since last week on account of illness. Mr. Longmire's health has improved considerably.

The last in the series of card parties being run by the Ladies Orange Lodge will be held on Saturday, April 11th. Besides the regular pries the two grand prizes for the highest total score will be given. Come and see the happy ending to a winter of fun and pleasant evenings.

Don't forget your coupon book when needing gas for your car or tractor. Walking home is a slow process.

The Young People's Society of the Irma United church put on a very fine concert last Tuesday evening in Keifer's hall.

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CARD OF THANKS

To the members of the Irma Ladies Aid and friends who sent flowers, gifts, and such nice letters to me during my stay in the hospital, I wish to express my sincerest thanks and I assure you your kindness will always be a bright spot in my memory.
Sincerely,
MRS. RAHAM.

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The much maligned dandelion may yet become a blessing in disguise. There is a fluid in the stem of the dandelion that scientists claim has quite a percentage of rubber substance in it. Have you ever opened a dandelion flower stem and found a sticky substance oozing from it? Well, that's the stuff that may revolutionize the rubber industry to some extent. Perhaps we may be raising dandelions instead of trying to eradicate them. Who knows?

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While snow storms have stopped trains and traffic in Manitoba and Saskatchewan during the past week, the weather has been uniformly warm and sunny in Alberta. The roads and highways have dried up and some people are worrying about a dry summer already, of course we haven't had the April showers yet, but they are coming.

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SPORTS

(By Walter Marlow)

Edmonton Maple Leafs battled Regina Abbotts to a 2-2 tie in Regina Saturday night. The winner of this best-of-five semi-final series will meet Portage la Prairie for the western title.

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It didn't take Joe Louis long to dispose of Abe Simon last Friday night in Madison Square Garden. Simon took a beating for five rounds and was still willing to continue after it had been stopped at the beginning of the sixth round. Louis let go his powerful right to put Simon on the canvas for a nine count. Simon struggled to his feet but the referee refused to let Simon continue.

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Lethbridge, the team that surprised hockey fans everywhere by defeating Calgary Stampeders, are now two games behind the Port Arthur Bear Cats, in the Western Canada Allan cup semi-finals. They battled the Bear Cats to a 4-4 tie last Thursday night and then were set back two by the scores of 4-1 and 7-3. The winner of this series will meet either Kimberley or Saskatoon in the western Allan cup finals.

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The Toronto Maple Leafs moved themselves into the Stanley Cup finals Tuesday night by defeating the Rangers 2-1. They won the series in six games and were not behind at any time in the series. They won the first two games by scores of 2-1 and 4-2. They lost the next game 3-0, but then won again 2-1. Rangers won the next 3-1, and Toronto took the sixth.

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Put a basin of cold water in the oven if you want to cool it down. It reduces the heat and helps with the cooking.

2,000 MEN AND A GIRL



Songstress Frances Cramer, blonde and petite, is one of the chief reasons why twenty hundred young airmen file into the big concert hall at Exhibition Park every week to attend the CBC broadcast, "At Manning Depot." The program features the music of Russ Gerow's orchestra, the comedy sketches of Woodhouse and Hawkins and songs by Frances. The show will be heard again on CBC's coast to coast network, on Friday, March 27, at 6 p.m.

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New General Manager Canadian National Hotels



R. Sommerville

who has been appointed General Manager of Hotels, Canadian National Railways, succeeding the late Joseph Van Wyck. Mr. Sommerville will direct the operation of eight year-round hotels and three summer resorts.

Mr. Sommerville entered the service of the Canadian National Railways in March, 1929, at The Macdonald Hotel, Edmonton, and since that time has served with The Fort Garry, Winnipeg; Chateau Laurier, Ottawa; Jasper Park Lodge in the Rockies; The Bessborough, Saskatoon, and The Nova Scotian, Halifax.

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PROVINCE WIDE ESSAY CONTEST

"Seven Reasons Why I Refuse To Drink Alcoholic Beverages"

Contest will be open to all students of grades 10, 11 and 12, within the province of Alberta.

First prize will be twenty-five dollars; second will be fifteen dollars; third, ten dollars; fourth, six dollars; and fifth will be four dollars.

Rules of Contest

1. (1) Factual matter from any source may be used.
 (2) Each essay submitted must beaccompanied by a statement from the school principal that the construction and style is the student's own effort.
 (3) Essay to consist of not less than six hundred words or more than twelve hundred words.
 (4) Judging shall be based upon the following ratio: Factual material, 70 points: style, 15, and construction 15.
 (5) All essays must be in the hands of the judges by May 1st.
 (6) Judges decision will be final.
2. A committee of three judges shall be chosen within each of the eight districts, who shall judge the essays and send on to the head office the best ten essays from their respective districts, where another committee of three judges shall be appointed to pass final decision and award the prizes accordingly.
 Students, Take Notice
3. Students living within this district shall send their entries to the following office: 713 Tegler Bldg., Edmonton.

What The Air Waves Are Saying Over Station CJCA

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Everyone's getting enthusiastic about spring—cleaning the yard, fixing up this and that, and generally hauling out the tools. And back with spring is our old friend, King Kote Steve, with five minutes of helpful hints and chatter and songs. So spend the five minutes starting at 8:37 every week day morning (except Saturday) with Steve.

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Starting soon, Wade Lane once again visits our homes every Tuesday and Thursday at 8:45 p.m. Wade Lane is an old acquaintance who has won thousands of friends under the names of Pinto Pete, and Strollin' Tom. He has played or sung with such notables as William Powell, Fred Waring, Marie Dressler, William Farnum, and hosts of others.

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"In His Steps," a highly inspiring religious novel by Charles M. Sheldon, has had the largest sale of any book ever printed with the exception of the Bible. In addition to the more than 20,000,000 copies of "In His Steps" which have been sold in the English language, this amazing book has been translated and has been published in more than 20 languages.

To meet today's problem's it is essential that we rearm morally, and "In His Steps" offers a wealth of help. It is the story the everybody reads. The book everybody loves. Now, the radio show of "In His Steps" is the one that everyone is looking forward to . . beginning on CJCA on Sunday, April 5, at 9:30 p.m.

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WORMSEED MUSTARD

Wormseed mustard is increasing throughout Alberta. Evidence of the fact is shown in the number of complaints received regarding the refusal of live stock, especially pigs, to consume their feed. The presence of wormseed in the feed can be ascertained readily. The seed is small, reddish-yellow in color and extremely bitter to taste. A very small quantity will cause stock to refuse their feed. Sheep, however, are less susceptible than other kinds of live stock. When consumed by dairy cows, the milk and its products are tainted.

The grinding of feed would seem to aggravate the problem. When such a situation arises it can be removed only by carefully screening the feed. It should be pointed out, however, that since wormseed contains a sticky substance, it may prove impossible to remove the seed from feed that is tough or damp.

The most satisfactory cure for this complaint is to prevent the growth of wormseed mustard in feed crops. Wormseed mustard is a native annual or winter annual. It is not difficult to control but will stand more cultivation than most native plants. Wormseed thrives on poorly cultivated lands, that produce sparse stands of grain. Good farming practices with attention to shallow cultivation in the fall and spring are recommended. Its seeds are short-lived when buried in the soil.

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Shades of pink can be set by soaking in salt water.

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MEIGHEN ASKS FOR "YES" VOTE IN PEBISCITE

Toronto, March 31—Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, national Conservative party leader, urged all Canadians to vote "Yes" in the forthcoming plebiscite in a statement issued today.

"Certainly I shall vote 'Yes' on the plebiscite" stated Mr. Meighen. "I said so long ago, and I urged Canadians everywhere to vote 'Yes.'"

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TRADE IN YOUR HOME TOWN

Local merchants are going to feel the pinch of shortage of goods more and more as time goes on, cutting down their possibility of profits while their expenses of doing business keep on soaring. That is a good reason why now—more than ever—is the time to be loyal to your home town merchant. Spend every dollar with him—he is the one who will keep the community going during these strenuous times.—Hutchinson Leader.

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A little milk added to the blue water used for lace curtains will launder them beautifully.

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Broiled tomato slices not only decorate but also improve the flavor of steaks or chops.

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by H. G. L. Strange
Director of the Searle Grain Co.

Britain is becoming greatly concerned about her supplies of foodstuffs, particularly about certain animal products—bacon, cheese and eggs—which Britain cannot supply for herself but has to import in large quantities. More and more of these foodstuffs are being sunk in transit across the ocean by submarines and by other enemy action.

The quantities of these particular foodstuffs available for export in the United tSates and in Canada are less than the people of Great Britain require. The latest idea to help beleagured Britain is for people on this continent to eat more vegetables and fruit, and so less bacon, eggs, chees and butter, and in this way to make more of these precious animal products available for Britain.

This can all be done, it is suggested, if farmers and city people alike will grow a **VICTORY VEGETABLE GARDEN.** Those, therefore, who grow more vegetables for their own table for summer use, and for pickling and preserving for winter use, will certainly be performing a most patriotic act that will help the British people to stand out against the enemy, besides which, the nutritionists tell us, the consumption of more vegetables and fruits containing large quantities of precious vitamins will certainly tend to improve the health of young and old alike.

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SODIUM CHLORATE MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE FOR WEED CONTROL

Information received by the department of agriculture indicates that the possibility of securing supplies of sodium chlorate for weed control during 1942, is very remote, and that in all probability municipalities, farmers and organizations who have formerly used this chemical for weed control, will not be able to obtain it and, therefore, will have to make provision to control weeds by other methods. This is a matter of vital concern to all who are interested in weed control.

The department of agriculture has been endeavoring to secure a quantity of sodium chlorate for distribution to municipalities within the province. Reports as to the possibility of obtaining supplies so far have not been encouraging.

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SHIP THEM BACK

One thing that should be done when the war ends is to gather up all of the enemy aliens in this country and ship them back where they came from. They do not appreciate the freedom in this country and should be compelled to return and live under their dictatorships in their home country.—Ex.

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